appropriate, action under Direct Taxes Acts.

(c) The investigations|asessmeints in search cases are made under the guidance an<| supervision of senior officers of the Income Tax Department.

Reduction of interest rate of commercial lending

1529. SHRI R. SAMBASIVA RAO: WUT the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to reduce the interest rate on commercial lending; and

(b) if 6o, what are the details in this regard?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MNISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRi JANARDHANA POOJARY); (a) There is na proposal under consideration to reduce the rate of interest on commercial lending.

(b) Does not arise.

Revamping of taxation system

1530. SHRI R. SAMBASIVA RAO: Wfll the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propos$_e$ to rexamp the entire taxation system in order to' accelerate industrial growth rate; and

(b) if so, what are th$_e$ details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S. M. KRISHNA): (a) Ther$_e$ is n$_0$ such' proposal under consideration of the Government at present.

(b) Does not arise.

Increase in the frequency of Boeing seCTfces between Delhi and Bhubaneswar

1531. SHRI JAGADISH JANI; Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether his Ministry has received request from the Government of Orissa to increase the frequency of Boeing services between Delhi und Bhubaneswar; and

(b) if so, what steps have been taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM AND CIVIL AVIATION (SHRi KHURSHEED ALAM KHAN); (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Indian Airlines has plans to increase the frequency of Boeing service between Deihi and Bhubaneshwar during the Winter Schedule of 1984-85.

Export of ready-made sold ornaments

1532. SHRI J. K. JAIN; Will *ihe* Minister of COMMERCE b$_e$ pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any representation for allowing export of ready-made gold ornaments;

(b) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto; and

(c) whether Government have undertaken any study regarding the demand for such ornaments abroad; if so, what are the details in this regard?

THF MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLY (SHRi NIHAR RANJAN LASKAR); (a) and (b) Requests from trade had been received for liberalisation of the Policy for gold jewellery exports from the country. A Gold Jewellery Export Promotion and Replenishment Scheme has *heen* brought into effect.

(c) The Handicraft and Handlooms Export Corporation of India Ltd. and trade have been studying the markets abroad on the basis of which they feel that Indian jewellery would evoke good respons$_e$ in the wake of the. impact of the new Gold Jewellery Export Policy notified by the Government.

New area for tea production

1533. SHRI J. K. JAIN WiH the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased" t» state;